Guido Molinari

Van Reekum Museum, Apeldoorn.

September 16 - November 5, 1995

here were two excellent reasons for organising this exhibition in Apeldoorn: first, Apeldoorn played a major role during the 50th anniversary commemorations with its great veterans parade on May 7. Second, the Van Reekum Museum is well-known for its collection of 'Stijl' movement painters such as Mondriaan. Canadian painter Guido Molinari is Canada's most prominent 'plasticien' working in this tradition. It was an appropriate opportunity to present these works in a Dutch museum.

Impact and relevance

The exhibition was officially opened on September 18 by Canada's Ambassador, Michael R. Bell. Guests included the Mayor of Apeldoorn, Mr. Bruins Slot.

The exhibition was widely attended and the Apeldoorn newspaper covered it with a full-page article.

The Van Reekum has a very active educational department, and ensured that various high school classes visited the exhibition.

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